



**PATENT APPLICATION**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Keishi SHIMIZU et al.

Group Art Unit: 1732

Application No.: 10/796,057

Examiner: M. HUSON

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Docket No.: 119039

For: POLYMERIC OPTICAL WAVEGUIDE-FORMING MASTER PLATE, METHOD  
FOR PRODUCING POLYMER OPTICAL WAVEGUIDE, AND APERTURE  
CHANGEABLE POLYMERIC OPTICAL WAVEGUIDE

**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In reply to the September 27 Restriction Requirement, Applicants provisionally elect  
Group I, claims 1-12, without traverse.

Respectfully submitted,

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